

# **Kentucky Agricultural Development Board**

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## ***Minutes of the April Board Meeting***

The regular meeting of the Kentucky Agricultural Development Board was held on **Monday, April 21** at **2:05 p.m.**, at the Marriott's Griffin Gate Hotel, Spendthrift Room. Commissioner Billy Ray Smith, presiding, called the meeting to order, and the Secretary called the roll.

### **Members Present**

Vickie Yates Brown, Daniel Case, Larry Clay, Susan Harkins, Wayne Hunt, Sam Lawson, Mike Slaughter, Commissioner Billy Ray Smith, Dean M. Scott Smith, and Smith Mitchell designee for Gene Strong

### **Members Absent**

Seth Conner, Sam Moore, Paul E. Patton, Willa H. Poynter, and Eddie Sellers

### **Others Present**

**Staff** - David Bratcher, Penny Cline, Edith Fultz, John-Mark Hack, Bruce Harper, Jeff Harper, Maggie May, Bill McCloskey, Gene Royalty, Brad Wellons, and Steve Yates **Guests** – Jeff Hall, USDA: FSA; Brent Lackey, Cumberland Farm Products; Glen Holbrook; Clint Hardy, Daviess Co. Extension; Patrick Rupinen, Commodity Growers; Linda Dickerson, Bowling Green Area Chamber of Commerce; Dr. Gil Myers, KY Goat Producers Assoc. (KGPA); Roland Sandor, Dairy Goat Products Coop of KY; C.R. Bowman, KGPA; Jason Brashear, KGPA; Tony Herrington, Harrison Co. Council; Barbara Yearsley, Harrison Co. Council; Ricci Roland, Harrison Co. Council; Keith Franklin, KY Specialty Meats; Mary Linda Copher, USDA Rural Development; Chris Dunaway; Buffalo Trace ADD; John M. Wright, Owensboro Grain Co.; Susan H. Goddard, Cabinet for Workforce Development; Brian Bleemel, Bullitt Co. Council; Patty Rai Smith, UK Cooperative Extension; Andre' Brousseau, Agri-tourism Council; Morris Bitzer, UK; Michael Duckworth, Woodford Co. Extension; Edgar Williams, Meniffe Co. Council; Pat Hardesty, Cooperative Extension; Rep. Adrian Arnold, KY General Assembly; Pruda C. Gray, Friends of Northeast KY Farm Families (FNKFF); Audrey Danner, FNKFF; Doug Thomas, KY Department of Agriculture (KDA); Gayle Arnold; Larry Jones, UK Agricultural Economics; Larry Turner, UK Cooperative Extension; Frank McAninch, Casey Co. Council; James D. Young, Casey Co. Cattlemen's Assoc.; Cassia Herron, Community Farm Alliance (CFA); Harvey Mitchell, KDA; Tommy Yankey, Casey Co. Extension; Carla Gerding, Henry Co. Council / CFA; DeVon Hankins, Legislative Research Commission

### **Notification of Media**

Commissioner Smith received verification from John-Mark Hack that the media had received notice regarding the Agricultural Development Board meeting.

### **Welcome**

Commissioner Smith welcomed everyone to the April Board meeting and glad they could join us at the 2003 Kentucky Opportunity Marketplace. Commissioner Smith noted his appreciation to the staff of the Governor's Office of Agricultural Policy for planning and execution of the event.

## Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the March 21, 2003 meeting were approved as presented.

## Executive Director's Report

Commissioner Smith turned the floor over to John-Mark Hack for the Executive Director's Report.

Mr. Hack echoed the Commissioner's welcome to all of the guests. Mr. Hack noted that there would be a reception this evening to recognize leaders and entrepreneurs in the agricultural development process.

Mr. Hack reviewed the meeting agenda.

Mr. Hack introduced David Bratcher to give a presentation on the status of the Agricultural Finance Corporation (AFC). Two documents were distributed to the Board: "Near Term Plan for Kentucky Agricultural Finance Corporation" and "Capital Access Loan Loss Reserve Program." *[A copy of each document is on file with the Board Secretary.]*

Mr. Bratcher presented the alternative and possibilities for first time farmers, the Link Deposit Program, and the Capital Access Program.

Mr. Bratcher introduced Jeff Hall, USDA/FSA, and yielded the floor to Mr. Hall. Mr. Hall commented on USDA's New & Beginning Farms Programs, loan guarantees, joint financing ownership and guarantee loans. He also addressed the limitation of their programs and how FSA can work together with the AFC.

Commissioner Smith commented that there is a great deal of interest and support for the AFC. This is another resource for access to capital.

Wayne Hunt commented that the AFC could accomplish some things: leverage funds; create an industrial development fund for agriculture, etc.

Mr. Bratcher addressed the concern that the AFC wouldn't be able to do anything for 18 months. Mr. Bratcher hopes that the document presented will show that there are things that there are still opportunities for the AFC to accomplish what KY Agriculture needs.

Sam Lawson commented that we [the Board] need to consider the main reason for the Agricultural Development Fund is diversification from tobacco. Mr. Bratcher responded that AFC is targeting tobacco-impacted areas.

Commissioner Smith noted that the AFC is in the growing process and its programs will grow and change similar to ADB's programs and commented on value adding as related to access to capital.

Mr. Hack introduced Don Van Erden, President of the Van Erden Group, to present the findings of the Dairy Goat and Meat Goat Studies commissioned by the Board. *[Copies of the presentation are on file with the Board Secretary.]*

Mr. Van Erden introduced himself and provided an overview of his presentation.

Mr. Van Erden that both of these studies are much different than the Aquaculture study, because the Aquaculture industry is more established than the goat industries.

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the process and sources he used during the study.

### **Meat Goat Study**

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *market factors indicate a significant potential for meat goats. In light of this, expansion should be encouraged and supported.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *in-state slaughter and processing is needed to move Kentucky away from being a commodity supplier.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *any slaughter facility must have the ability to process animals according to Halal.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *any in-state processing must be matched with a strong sales and marketing function.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *it is necessary to further expand the potential of the Tel-o-auction.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *it is necessary to make producers aware of the multitude of options available to them in marketing their animals.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why, *as the Kentucky industry expands and new producers enter the market, the new producers should be required to have training in care, raising, processing and marketing of goats.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *producers can also access the marketplace directly, bypassing the traditional auction/broker system.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *Kentucky producers need to expand their industry contact through networking and outreach efforts.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *the potential is being recognized by other states, as well. This means that Kentucky needs to take advantage of the opportunities before others do.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *multi-species grazing can both help expand Kentucky's herd, as demand increases, and provide income opportunities for the state's cattle producers.*

### **Dairy Goat Study**

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the *major barriers to success for independent entry into the fluid goat milk market. Independent entry is not recommended.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons for *investigating a partnership with Meyenberg, as a potential entry point into the fluid goat milk market.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *there is a market-side opportunity for a commercial goat cheese industry in the state. However, there are several issues to be addressed for this type of venture to be successful.*

Mr. Van Erden reviewed the reasons why *there is an opportunity to develop farmstead goat cheese operations that can be successful.*

Mr. Van Erden thanked the Board and commented that it had been a pleasure working with them and their staff.

Dr. Gil Myers thanked the Agricultural Development Board and Mr. Van Erden for doing this research.

Mr. Lawson commented that the reports were excellent and that they vindicate spending funds on studying goat markets to critics.

### Referral of August Projects<sup>1</sup>

Mr. Hack explained, for benefit of guests, how the application process works.

Mr. Hack presented projects A2003-0154 to A2003-0215 for referral to the Board's Project Review Committees. Mr. Hunt moved that "projects A2003-0154 to A2003-0215 be referred the Board's Project Review Committees;" Danny Case seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

### Approval of Model Programs<sup>2</sup>

Mr. Hack submitted projects A2002-0668, A2003-0091, A2003-0093, A2003-0100, A2003-0124, A2003-0142, and A2003-0151 as projects meeting the model **Agricultural Diversification Program** guidelines. Susan Harkins moved that same be approved as model Agricultural Diversification programs; Mike Slaughter seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

Mr. Hack submitted projects A2002-0551 as a project meeting the model **Fencing Improvement Program** guidelines. Mr. Case moved that same be approved as model Fencing Improvement programs; Smith Mitchell seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

Mr. Hack submitted projects A2003-0053, A2003-0086, A2003-0092, A2003-0150, A2003-0160, and A2003-0168 as projects meeting the model **Forage Improvement & Utilization Program** guidelines. Mr. Case moved that same be approved as a model Forage Improvement & Utilization programs; Mr. Slaughter seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

Mr. Hack submitted projects A2002-0665, A2003-0090, A2003-0097, A2003-0107, A2003-0119, A2003-0126, A2003-0132, A2003-0143, A2003-0147, and A2003-0153 as projects meeting the model **Genetics Improvement Program** guidelines. Vickie Yates Brown moved that same be approved as model Genetics Improvement programs; Larry Clay seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

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<sup>1</sup> A detailed list of the referred projects is attached as Appendix A.

<sup>2</sup> A detailed list of projects funded under each model program category is attached as Appendix B.

Mr. Hack submitted projects A2002-0669, A2003-0117, A2003-0123 and A2003-0127 as projects meeting the model **Goat Diversification** guidelines. Ms. Harkins moved that same be approved as model Goat Diversification programs; Mr. Slaughter seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

Mr. Hack submitted projects A2002-0666, A2003-0089, A2003-0095, A2003-0098, A2003-0131, A2003-0133, A2003-0136, A2003-0144, A2003-0149, and A2003-0163 as projects meeting the model **Handling Facilities** guidelines. Mr. Case moved that same be approved as model Cattle Handling Facilities Programs; Mr. Clay seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

Mr. Hack submitted projects A2002-0399, A2002-0667, A2003-0094, A2003-0108, A2003-0109, A2003-0115, A2003-0128, A2003-0137, A2003-0141 and A2003-0146 as projects meeting the model **Hay, Straw and Commodity Storage Program** guidelines. Mr. Slaughter moved that same be approved as model Hay, Straw and Commodity Storage programs; Mr. Mitchell seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

## Committee Reports

### Blue Project Review Committee

Vickie Yates Brown reported for the Blue Project Review Committee (PRC). Ms. Brown noted that the Blue PRC is presenting 4 projects for funding consideration.

Ms. Brown presented application **A2002-0461**. The application received a high priority from Robertson County. The applicant, **Robertson County Soil Conservation**, requests \$7,884 in county Agricultural Development Funds for a Chandler 10' Low Profile lime spreader to assist producers with spreading lime on steep terrain. Ms. Brown reviewed the proposed terms and conditions for the project. Ms. Brown moved that application A2002-0461 be approved for \$7,884 in Robertson Co. Agricultural Development Funds; Mr. Hunt seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

Ms. Brown presented application **A2003-0021**. The applicant, **Partners for Family Farms**, requests \$120,000 in state Agricultural Development Funds to conduct a small processing plant feasibility study, a marketing study for small livestock species demand, and construction of docking stations in multiple counties for the mobile processing unit. The Blue Committee recommends funding the feasibility study in the amount of \$35,000 of KCADE funds and pending the balance of the request until the results of the study can be reviewed. Ms. Brown reviewed the proposed terms and conditions for the project. Ms. Brown moved that application A2003-0021 be approved for \$35,000 in KCADE funds; Ms. Harkins seconded the motion. Commissioner Smith opened the floor for comments:

Dean Smith asked if the group was doing the study or if it would be contracted out. Mr. Hack responded that the study would be contracted out.

Sam Lawson asked from where the matching funds were coming. Mr. Hack noted that the applicant has a federal grant for the study.

The motion passed without dissent.

Ms. Brown presented application **A2003-0099**. The applicant, **Cumberland Farm Products Association, Inc.**, requests \$301,959 in state Agricultural Development Funds to purchase the property and building at the Russell Springs location, update computer equipment and software at the Russell Springs and Monticello facilities, and expand the current cooling system at the Monticello facility. Ms. Brown reviewed the proposed terms and conditions for the project. Ms. Brown moved that application A2003-0099 be approved for \$301,959 in state Agricultural Development Funds; Mr. Hunt seconded the motion. Commissioner Smith opened the floor for comments:

Commissioner Smith pointed out that no distribution of dividends to members of the cooperative would be made until this loan is forgiven.

Mr. Hack commented that Cumberland Farm Products was one of the first four projects to receive funding approval, contingent upon securing matching resources. Since those resources did not materialize, a new application was submitted to reflect changes from the original project. This money is separate from the first award. We will be talking with the applicant about the status of the original award in light of whatever decision is made by the Board.

Dean Smith asked if this is the first money they will actually receive from the Board. Mr. Hack responded yes.

The motion passed without dissent.

Ms. Brown presented application **A2003-0120**. The application received a high priority from Washington County. The applicant, **Washington County Cattleman's Association**, requests \$41,600 in Washington Co. Agricultural Development Funds to establish a Youth Master Cattleman Program. This project will support and encourage the youth in Washington County that are interested in the dairy and beef industries. Ms. Brown reviewed the proposed terms and conditions for the project. Ms. Brown moved that application A2003-0120 be approved for \$41,600 in Washington Co. Agricultural Development Funds; Mr. Case seconded the motion. Commissioner Smith opened the floor for comments:

Commissioner Smith questioned the extent of Extension or FFA's involvement in the project. Mr. Case responded.

The motion passed without dissent.

#### Red Project Review Committee

Sam Lawson reported for the Red Project Review Committee (PRC). Mr. Lawson noted that the Red PRC is presenting 4 projects for funding consideration.

Mr. Lawson presented application **A2002-0490**. The application received a high priority from Taylor County. The applicant, **Taylor County Fair Association**, requests \$9,047 in Taylor Co. Agricultural Development Funds to build two arched, clear-span structures on the Taylor County Fairgrounds to provide better shelter for 4-H, FFA, and adult agricultural events. Mr. Lawson reviewed the proposed terms and conditions for the project. Mr. Lawson moved that application A2002-0490 be approved for \$9,047 in Taylor Co. Agricultural Development Funds; Dean Smith seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

Mr. Lawson presented application **A2002-0634**. The application received a high priority from Bullitt County. The applicant, **Bullitt County Cattlemen's Association**, requests \$50,000 in Bullitt Co. Agricultural Development Funds to administer a cost-share program that provides funds to producers for purchase of lime. This program will provide up to \$1,000 per farming operation for the purchase of lime on a 50/50 cost-share, first-come first-served basis to all county producers. Mr. Lawson reviewed the proposed terms and conditions for the project. Mr. Lawson moved that application A2002-0634 be approved for \$50,000 in Bullitt Co. Agricultural Development Funds; Mr. Hunt seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

Mr. Lawson presented application **A2003-0052**. The application received a high priority from Pendleton County. The applicant, **Pendleton County Forage Association**, requests \$41,287 in Pendleton Co. Agricultural Development Funds for 3 shared-use tractor-hitch type lime spreaders. Mr. Lawson reviewed the proposed terms and conditions for the project. Mr. Lawson moved that application A2003-0052 be approved for \$41,287 in Pendleton Co. Agricultural Development Funds; Mr. Clay seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

Mr. Lawson presented application **A2003-0129**. The application received a high priority from Laurel County. The applicant, **Laurel County Cattleman's Association**, requests \$16,333 in Laurel Co. Agricultural Development Funds for two shared-use manure spreaders (one large and one small). Mr. Lawson reviewed the proposed terms and conditions for the project. Mr. Lawson moved that application A2003-0129 be approved for \$16,333 in Laurel Co. Agricultural Development Funds; Mr. Clay seconded the motion. Commissioner Smith opened the floor for discussion:

Ms. Brown asked if this funding this manure spreader would be a first. Mr. Lawson responded that it would be a first for a manure spreader, but that lime and fertilizer spreaders have been funded. He added that there are 76 federally funded manure barns in the county.

Commissioner Smith noted that this practice meets recommendations for Best Management Practices.

Ms. Brown noted her uncomfortableness with funding this project. Mr. Lawson and Mr. Case discussed special circumstances, and that is why funding is recommended.

Mr. Hunt called the question. Commissioner Smith took a hand vote. The motion passed without dissent.

## Review of Amendments

Mr. Hack presented the following amendment for approval.

Application **A2001-0868, Breckenridge County Beef Improvement Council, Inc.**, was approved for \$100,000.00 on January 18, 2002. The applicant requests an increase in the project funds for the Forage Improvement Program of \$42,000.00. These funds are to be reallocated from the Genetic Improvement Program (A2001-0516). Approval of this request will bring the project balance to \$142,000.

Application **A2001-0869, Breckenridge County Beef Improvement Council, Inc.**, was approved for \$80,000.00 on January 18, 2002. The applicant requests a decrease in the project funds for the Cattle Genetics Program of \$42,000. These funds are to be reallocated to the Forage Improvement Program (A2001-0436). Approval of this request will bring the project balance to \$38,000.

Application **A2001-0311, Wolfe County Conservation District**, was approved for \$75,600.00 on July 16, 2001. The applicant requests a decrease in project funds for the Genetic Improvement Program of \$25,600.00. The funds are to be reallocated to the Cattle Handling Facility Program (A2001-0715). Approval of this request will bring the project balance to \$50,000.00.

Application **A2001-0715, Wolfe County Conservation District**, was approved for \$50,000.00 on July 16, 2001. The applicant requests an increase in project funds for the Cattle Handling Facilities Program of \$25,600. These funds are to be reallocated from the Cattle Genetics Program (A2001-0311). Approval of this request will bring the project balance to \$75,600.00.

Application **A2001-0462, Grant County Cattlemen's, Inc.**, was approved for \$200,000.00 on November 30, 2001. The applicant requests a decrease in project funds for the Forage Improvement Program of \$20,000.00. The funds are to be reallocated to the Genetic Improvement Program (A2001-0409). Approval of this request will bring the project balance to \$180,000.

Application **A2001-0409, Grant County Cattlemen's, Inc.**, was approved for \$25,000.00 on November 30, 2001. The applicant requests an increase in project funds for the Cattle Genetics Program of \$20,000. These funds are to be reallocated from the Forage Improvement Program (A2001-0462). Approval of this request will bring the project balance to \$45,000.

Application **A2001-0313, Northern Kentucky Cattle Association**, was approved for \$110,000.00 on June 16, 2001. The applicant requests a decrease in project funds for the Boone Co. Cattle Genetics Program of \$25,000. The funds are to be reallocated to the Cattle Handling Facilities Program (A2001-0845). Approval of this request will bring the project balance to \$85,000.

Application **A2001-0845, Northern Kentucky Cattle Association**, was approved for \$40,000.00 on January 18, 2002. The applicant requests an increase in project funds for the Boone Co. Cattle Handling Facilities Program of \$25,000. The funds are to be



reallocated from the Cattle Genetics Program (A2001-0313). Approval of this request will bring the project balance to \$65,000.

Mr. Case moved that the above amendments be approved as presented; Mr. Slaughter seconded the motion. The motion passed without dissent.

### **Recommendations for No-Funding<sup>3</sup>**

Mr. Hack presented projects P2002-0008 (2-0035, 2-0153, 2-0191, 2-0246), A2002-0329, A2002-0396, A2002-0521, A2002-0646, A2003-0049, A2003-0083, A2003-0101, A2003-0112, A2003-0121, and A2003-0130 as projects recommend for no-funding by the project review committees. Mr. Hack noted that there were several good projects that could very well be eligible for funding under a different program, but don't meet the mandates set forth by the legislation that established this Board and the Fund. Mr. Hack commented on agri-tourism, both of the committees are supportive of the initiative. Both committees have encouraged staff to work with the applicant and the Interagency Agri-tourism Office. Mr. Hunt moved that no funding be awarded to same; Mr. Lawson seconded the motion. The Chair opened the floor for discussion:

Commissioner Smith commented to guests that these projects are able to re-apply, if they can bring their projects in-line with the Board's guidelines and policies.

Mr. Hack emphasized that there was not a voice on either committee that expressed any reservations about the development of an agri-tourism industry in the state. They felt like this should be a more prudent approach.

The motion passed without dissent.

### **Other Business**

Mr. Hack reminded the Board members that there is an Awards Reception that will commence at the end of the Kentucky Opportunity Marketplace.

### **Closing Remarks**

Commissioner Smith noted his appreciation for the guest joining the Board today. Commissioner Smith encouraged all guests to view the exhibits [in Salons E & F].

The next meeting of the Kentucky Agricultural Development Board will convene at 10:00 a.m. on Friday, May 16, 2003 at TBD. Note time and location of meeting subject to change; ample notification will be given if such a change occurs.

The meeting adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

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<sup>3</sup> Detailed list of projects for a no-funding recommendation listed in Appendix C.

**APPROVED:** \_\_\_\_\_

**PRESIDING OFFICER:** \_\_\_\_\_

**SECRETARY:** \_\_\_\_\_

## APPENDIX A: *Referred to Project Review*

### Applications A2003-0154 to A2003-0215

<i>Appl. #</i>	<i>Project Name</i>	<i>Project Type</i>
A2003-0154	Spencer County Farm Bureau	Hay, Straw and Commodity Storage
A2003-0155	Spencer County Farm Bureau	Agricultural Diversification
A2003-0156	Northern Kentucky Regional Farmer's Market	Project
A2003-0157	Central Kentucky Meat Goat Producers	Goat Diversification
A2003-0158	Carroll County Board of Education	Project
A2003-0159	Owsley County Conservation District	Hay, Straw and Commodity Storage
A2003-0160	Powell County Soil Conservation District	Forage Improvement
A2003-0161	Lewis County Conservation District	Project
A2003-0162	Robertson County Conservation District	Hay, Straw and Commodity Storage
A2003-0163	Adair County Cattlemen's Association	Handling Facilities Cost Share
A2003-0164	Bracken Agricultural Advancement Council	Handling Facilities Cost Share
A2003-0165	Nelson County Beef Cattle Association	Genetics Improvement
A2003-0166	Nelson County Conservation District	Forage Improvement
A2003-0167	Nelson County Beef Cattle Association	Handling Facilities Cost Share
A2003-0168	Harrison County Beef Cattle Association	Forage Improvement
A2003-0169	Kentucky Heartland Nursery Association	Project
A2003-0170	Ed and Keela Hogg, N.B. Gardens	Project
A2003-0171	Kentucky Beef Network, LLC	Project
A2003-0172	University of Louisville Research Foundation, Inc.	Project
A2003-0173	Purchase Area Aquaculture Cooperative, Inc.	Project
A2003-0174	Kentucky Heartland Nursey Association	Project
A2003-0175	Marion County Farm Bureau	Agricultural Diversification
A2003-0176	Marion County Cattlemen's Association	Handling Facilities Cost Share
A2003-0177	Eastern KY Goat Producers Association	

## APPENIDIX A: *Referred to Project Review*

<b><i>Appl. #</i></b>	<b><i>Project Name</i></b>	<b><i>Project Type</i></b>
A2003-0178	Grayson County Cattlemen's Association	Genetics Improvement
A2003-0179	Bath County Farm Bureau	Agricultural Diversification
A2003-0180	Robertson County Soil Conservation District	Forage Improvement
A2003-0181	Bath County Conservation District	Hay, Straw and Commodity Storage
A2003-0182	Garrard County Board of Education	Project
A2003-0183	Grayson County Cattlemen's Association	Handling Facilities Cost Share
A2003-0184	Central Kentucky Meat Goat Association	Goat Diversification
A2003-0185	Marion County Cattlemen's Association	Genetics Improvement
A2003-0186	Harrison County Beef Cattle Association	
A2003-0187	Bath County Cattlemen's Association	Genetics Improvement
A2003-0188	Bath County Cattlemen's Association	Handling Facilities Cost Share
A2003-0189	Western Kentucky University Research Foundation	Project
A2003-0190	Owsley County Conservation District	Agricultural Diversification
A2003-0191	Pulaski County Cattlemen's Association	Handling Facilities Cost Share
A2003-0192	Monroe County Farm Bureau	Agricultural Diversification
A2003-0193	Clinton County Soil Conservation District	Forage Improvement
A2003-0194	Marion County Extension Service	Agricultural Diversification
A2003-0195	Kentucky Horticulture Council, Inc.	Project
A2003-0196	Jackson Purchase RC&D Foundation, Inc.	Project
A2003-0197	Rowan County Fiscal Court	Handling Facilities Cost Share
A2003-0198	Owen County Farm Bureau	
A2003-0199	Owen County Farm Bureau	Forage Improvement
A2003-0200	Owen County Farm Bureau	Genetics Improvement
A2003-0201	Owen County Farm Bureau	Handling Facilities Cost Share

**APPENIDIX A: Referred to Project Review**

<b><i>Appl. #</i></b>	<b><i>Project Name</i></b>	<b><i>Project Type</i></b>
A2003-0202	Owen County Farm Bureau	Agricultural Diversification
A2003-0203	Owen County Farm Bureau	Goat Diversification
A2003-0204	Jessamine County Conservation District	Forage Improvement
A2003-0205	Jessamine County Sheep and Goat Producers	
A2003-0206	Fleming County Cattlemen's Association	Genetics Improvement
A2003-0207	Buffalo Trace Area Development District	Forage Improvement
A2003-0208	Buffalo Trace Area Development District	Handling Facilities Cost Share
A2003-0209	Caldwell County Farm Bureau	Handling Facilities Cost Share
A2003-0210	Caldwell County Cattlemen's Association	Genetics Improvement
A2003-0211	Tammy Tooley	Project
A2003-0212	Cumberland Farm Products	Goat Diversification
A2003-0213	Green River Area Development District	Goat Diversification
A2003-0214	In Town Winery, LLC	Project
A2003-0215	Laurel County Cattlemen's Association	Hay, Straw and Commodity Storage

## APPENIDIX B: *Model Program Lists*

### *Agricultural Diversification*

<i>App #</i>	<i>Project Name</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>Funds</i>
A2003-0142	Bourbon County Fiscal Court	Bourbon	\$26,250.00
A2003-0100	Clark County Sheep Producers Association	Clark	\$25,500.00
A2003-0091	Grant County Conservation District	Grant	\$7,630.00
A2002-0668	Henry Co. Agricultural Diversification Association, Inc.	Henry	\$49,281.00
A2003-0124	McCreary County Agricultural Development Council	McCreary	\$318.00
A2003-0151	Family Farm Project Co-Op Association	Oldham	\$16,271.00
A2003-0093	Family Farm Project Co-Op Association	Trimble	\$21,319.00
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>\$146,569.00</b>

### *Fencing Improvement*

<i>App #</i>	<i>Project Name</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>Funds</i>
A2002-0551	Harrison County Beef Cattle Association	Harrison	\$206,000.00
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>\$206,000.00</b>

### *Forage Improvement*

<i>App #</i>	<i>Project Name</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>Funds</i>
A2003-0086	Anderson County Farm Bureau Federation	Anderson	\$15,835.00
A2003-0092	Fayette County Conservation District	Fayette	\$27,190.00
A2003-0168	Harrison County Beef Cattle Association	Harrison	\$26,850.00
A2003-0150	Oldham County Farm Bureau Federation	Oldham	\$2,000.00
A2003-0053	Pendleton County Forage Association	Pendleton	\$71,500.00
A2003-0160	Powell County Soil Conservation District	Powell	\$20,640.00
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>\$164,015.00</b>

## APPENIDIX B: *Model Program Lists*

### *Genetics Improvement*

<i>App #</i>	<i>Project Name</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>Funds</i>
A2003-0143	The Bourbon County Fiscal Court	Bourbon	\$65,000.00
A2003-0107	Carroll County Agricultural Development Fund, Inc.	Carroll	\$26,000.00
A2003-0119	Clinton County Agricultural Advancement Council	Clinton	\$10,000.00
A2003-0153	Clinton-Cumberland Cattlemen's Association	Cumberland	\$10,000.00
A2003-0132	Green County Cattlemen's Association	Green	\$52,500.00
A2002-0665	Henry County Cattlemen's Association, Inc.	Henry	\$43,917.00
A2003-0090	Lincoln County Livestock Improvement Association	Lincoln	\$60,000.00
A2003-0126	McCreary County Agricultural Development Council	McCreary	\$2,060.00
A2003-0147	Oldham County Farm Bureau Federation	Oldham	\$1,729.00
A2003-0097	Trimble County Cattlemen's Association	Trimble	\$10,000.00
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>\$281,206.00</b>

### *Goat Diversification*

<i>App #</i>	<i>Project Name</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>Funds</i>
A2003-0127	Barren River Area Development District	Allen	\$20,000.00
A2002-0669	Henry County Boer Goat Association, Inc.	Henry	\$20,000.00
A2003-0123	South-Eastern Kentucky Agricultural Development Association	McCreary	\$400.00
A2003-0117	Barren River Area Development District	Monroe	\$12,000.00
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>\$52,400.00</b>

## APPENIDIX B: *Model Program Lists*

### *Handling Facilities Cost Share*

<i>App #</i>	<i>Project Name</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>Funds</i>
A2003-0163	Adair County Cattlemen's Association	Adair	\$53,000.00
A2003-0089	Anderson County Cattle Association, Inc.	Anderson	\$45,450.00
A2003-0144	The Bourbon County Fiscal Court	Bourbon	\$125,000.00
A2003-0136	Cumberland County Farm Bureau	Cumberland	\$10,000.00
A2003-0131	Fayette County Cattlemen's Association	Fayette	\$100,000.00
A2003-0133	Green County Cattlemen's Association	Green	\$117,000.00
A2002-0666	Henry County Cattlemen's Association, Inc.	Henry	\$43,917.00
A2003-0098	LaRue County Beef Cattle Association	Larue	\$14,315.00
A2003-0149	Oldham County Farm Bureau Federation	Oldham	\$23,107.00
A2003-0095	Trimble County Cattlemen's Association	Trimble	\$10,000.00
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>\$541,789.00</b>

### *Hay, Straw and Commodity Storage*

<i>App #</i>	<i>Project Name</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>Funds</i>
A2003-0141	Bourbon County Fiscal Court	Bourbon	\$200,000.00
A2003-0108	Carroll County Agricultural Development Fund, Inc.	Carroll	\$100,000.00
A2002-0667	Henry County Cattlemen's Association, Inc.	Henry	\$30,000.00
A2003-0115	Garrard County Farm Bureau	Garrard	\$105,000.00
A2002-0399	Metcalf County Cattlemen's Association	Metcalf	\$319,685.00
A2003-0137	Pulaski County Agricultural Advancement Association	Pulaski	\$30,000.00
A2003-0146	Rowan County Fiscal Court	Rowan	\$30,000.00
A2003-0128	Scott County Beef Improvement Association	Scott	\$96,474.00
A2003-0094	Trimble County Cattlemen's Association	Trimble	\$60,000.00
A2003-0109	Wayne County Pork Producers	Wayne	\$30,000.00
<b>Sub Total</b>			<b>\$1,001,159.00</b>



**APPENIDIX C: *Recommendations for No Funding***

<b><i>App #</i></b>	<b><i>Project Name</i></b>	<b><i>County</i></b>
P2002-0008	Goodin View Farms (2-0035, 2-0153, 2-0191, 2-0246)	Nelson
A2002-0329	The Family Cooperative Association	Trimble
A2002-0396	Sheltowee, LLC	Jefferson
A2002-0521	The Elements Enterprises, LLC	Boyle
A2002-0646	Christian Way Farm	Christian
A2003-0049	Campbellsville/Taylor County Industrial Development Authority	Taylor
A2003-0083	Shelby County Fiscal Court	Shelby
A2003-0101	Casey County Agricultural and Education Fair, Inc.	Casey
A2003-0112	West Kentucky Corporation	Warren
A2003-0121	Livingston County Conservation District	Livingston
A2003-0130	Kentucky Sweet Sorghum Producers and Processors Assoc.	Fayette